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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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 Attorney Docket No. STAT1210

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims Extra Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)

- 20 or HP = _____ x _____ = _____

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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4. OTHER FEE(S)


Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): RCE Fee (small entity)

Fees Paid (\$)

\$395.00

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PATENT

Customer No.: 006980

Docket No.: STAT1150

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

PETITE, Thomas D.

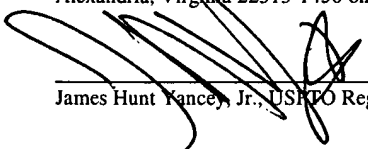
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) Group Art Unit: 2857
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) Examiner: BARAN, Mary C.
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) Confirmation No: 5550
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) Docket No.: STAT1210
) (formerly 081607-1210)
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Title: **WIRELESS COMMUNICATION NETWORKS FOR PROVIDING REMOTE MONITORING OF DEVICES**

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

The *Notice of Allowance* from Examiner Mary C. Baran of Art Unit 2857, dated 6 October 2005, has been received and carefully reviewed. In response thereto, Applicant respectfully submits this *Response* with a *Request for Continued Examination* (RCE) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and an *Information Disclosure Statement*.

In accordance with the continuing duty under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") any information that may be material to patentability of the above-identified Application, please find enclosed form PTO/SB/08A listing references presently known to Applicant.

In accordance with current submission rules, Applicant submits paper copies of non-PTO documents. Applicant also previously electronically filed ten electronic information disclosure statements containing PTO documents. The electronic submissions were submitted on 5 December 2005. Applicant notes that reference citation numbers 42-46 and 58-59 are not submitted herewith. Applicant is diligently searching for these references and will provide them in a later submission.

The submission of this information shall not be deemed an admission that this information is necessarily material to the patentability of the above-identified Application. In addition, the submission of this information shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made.

Applicants also respectfully request the docket number of this Application be changed from 081607-1210 to STAT1210. The prosecution of this Application has been transferred to a new law firm (Troutman Sanders LLP), and its docketing procedures will utilize this new docket number. A *Revocation and Appointment of Power of Attorney* to the new firm and a *Change of Correspondence Address* are enclosed to perfect this change in counsel to reflect that the new law firm is now authorized to prosecute this Application.

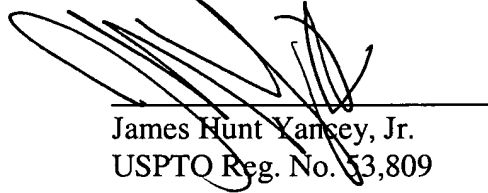
Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request the PTO to update the records associated with this application to reflect the new power of attorney to Patent Practitioners associated with Customer Number 006980 and to direct all correspondence in connection with this patent application to the address associated with Customer Number 006980.

FEES AND CONCLUSION

Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to debit the RCE fee of \$395 from Deposit Account 20-1507. No other fees are believed due, but the Commissioner authorized to charge any deficiency in fees to Deposit Account No. 20-1507.

Respectfully submitted,

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